

Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

Jose Baldomero Carrion, of Puerto Rico, to be a Member of the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

Carlos M. Garcia, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

Arthur J. Gonzalez, of New York, to be a Member of the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

Jose R. Gonzalez, of New York, to be a Member of the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

Ana Matosantos, of California, to be a Member of the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

David Skeel, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Financial Oversight and Management Board for Puerto Rico for the remainder of the term expiring August 30, 2019.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—171) Pages S3639–41

Adjournment: Senate convened at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:29 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 19, 2019. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S3804.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee ordered favorably reported the nomina-

tions of Thomas Peter Feddo, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Investment Security, Ian Paul Steff, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service, Michelle Bowman, of Kansas, to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Paul Shmotolokha, of Washington, to be First Vice President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and Allison Herren Lee, of Colorado, to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

TERRORISM RISK INSURANCE PROGRAM

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the reauthorization of the Terrorism Risk Insurance Program, after receiving testimony from Baird Webel, Specialist in Financial Economics, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; and Tarique Nageer, Marsh, and Howard Kunreuther, University of Pennsylvania Wharton School Risk Management and Decision Processes Center, both of New York, New York.

DRONE SECURITY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Security concluded a hearing to examine drone security, focusing on enhancing innovation and mitigating supply chain risks, after receiving testimony from Angela H. Stubblefield, Deputy Associate Administrator for Security and Hazardous Materials Safety, Federal Aviation Administration; Harry Wingo, Faculty, College of Information and Cyberspace, National Defense University, Department of Defense; Catherine F. Cahill, University of Alaska Center for Unmanned Aircraft Systems Integration, Fairbanks; Brian Wynne, Association for Unmanned Vehicle Systems International, Arlington, Virginia; and Harold H. Shaw, Massachusetts Port Authority, East Boston.

FEDERAL LANDS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded a hearing to examine deferred maintenance needs and potential solutions on Federal lands administered by the Department of the Interior and the Department of Agriculture Forest Service, after receiving testimony from Scott Cameron, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Policy, Management and Budget; Lenise Lago, Associate Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; Dan Puskar, Public Lands Alliance, Silver Spring, Maryland; Elizabeth Archuleta, Coconino County, Flagstaff, Arizona, on behalf of the National Association of Counties; and Jessica Wahl, Outdoor Recreation Roundtable, Washington, D.C.

TRADE POLICY AGENDA AND THE USMCA

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's 2019 trade policy agenda and the United States-Mexico-Canada Agreement, after receiving testimony from Robert E. Lighthizer, United States Trade Representative.

UKRAINE

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Europe and Regional Security Cooperation concluded a hearing to examine Ukraine's progress and Russia's malign activities five years after the revolution of dignity, after receiving testimony from Kurt Volker, Special Representative for Ukraine Negotiations, Department of State; and John E. Herbst, Atlantic Council Eurasia Center, Alina Polyakova, Brookings Institution, and James Jay Carafano, Heritage Foundation, all of Washington, D.C.

LOWER HEALTH CARE COSTS ACT

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the Lower Health Care Costs Act, after receiving testimony from Marilyn Bartlett, Office of the Montana

State Auditor, Helena; Sean Cavanaugh, Aledade, Benedic Ippolito, American Enterprise Institute, Tom Nickels, American Hospital Association, and Frederick Isasi, Families USA, all of Washington, D.C.; and Elizabeth Mitchell, Pacific Business Group on Health, San Francisco, California.

TERM LIMITS IN THE U.S.

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution concluded a hearing to examine keeping Congress accountable, focusing on term limits in the United States, after receiving testimony from former Senator Jim DeMint; Nick Tomboulides, U.S. Term Limits, Melbourne, Florida; Lynda W. Powell, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York; John David Rausch, Jr., West Texas A and M University, Canyon; and Casey Burgat, R Street Institute, Washington, D.C.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to the call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 34 public bills, H.R. 3298–3331; and 2 resolutions, H. Res. 446 and 447 were introduced. **Pages H4769–71**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H4772–74**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 2109, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, in awarding a contract for the procurement of goods or services, to give a preference to offerors that employ veterans (H. Rept. 116–117);

H.R. 2196, to amend title 38, United States Code, to reduce the credit hour requirement for the Edith Nourse Rogers STEM Scholarship program of the Department of Veterans Affairs (H. Rept. 116–118); and

H. Res. 445, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3055) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes; relating to consideration of the bill (H.R. 2740) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies

for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2020, and for other purposes; and providing for proceedings during the period from June 28, 2019, through July 8, 2019 (H. Rept. 116–119). **Page H4769**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Beyer to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H4703**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:06 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H4704**

Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 10 a.m. tomorrow, June 19th. **Page H4704**

Recess: The House recessed at 2:16 p.m. and reconvened at 2:45 p.m. **Page H4706**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measure:

Empowering Beneficiaries, Ensuring Access, and Strengthening Accountability Act of 2019: H.R. 3253, amended, to provide for certain extensions with respect to the Medicaid program under title XIX of the Social Security Act, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nays vote of 371 yeas to 46 nays, Roll No. 333.

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